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ABSORPTION FILM ROLL AND PROCESS FOR ITS

PRODUCTION, AND NEAR-INFRARED RAY ABSORPTION

FILTER

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 23, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the subject application in view of the following remarks.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.